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**PATENT** 

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

ZHAOHUI PENG, ET AL.

Application No.: 10/556,640

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For: RECOMBINANT GENE MEDICINE OF ADENOVIRUS VECTOR AND GENE p53

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**Commissioner for Patents** 

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## TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

#### **STATUS**

	X a small entity.				
		other than a small entity.			
	CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8(a) and 1.10*				
		(When using Express Mail, the Express Mail label number is mandatory;			
		Express Mail certification is optional.)			

#### MAILING

X deposited with the United States Postal Service in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

37 C.F.R. 1.8(a)

37 C.F.R. 1.10\*

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to used in a patent term adjustment calculation. Consider "F-

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Only the date of filing (§ 1.6) will be the date used in a patent term adjustment calculation. Consider "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" (§ 1.10) or facsimile transmission (§ 1.6(d)) for the reply to be accorded the earliest possible filing date for patent term adjustment calculations.

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#### **EXTENSION OF TERM**

NOTE: "Extension of Time in Patent Cases (Supplement Amendments) — If a timely and complete response has been filed after a Non-Final Office Action, an extension of time is not required to permit filing and/or entry of an additional amendment after expiration of the shortened statutory period.

If a timely response has been filed after a Final Office Action, an extension of time is required to permit filing and/or entry of a Notice of Appeal or filing and/or entry of an additional amendment after expiration of the shortened statutory period unless the timely-filed response placed the application in condition for allowance. Of course, if a Notice of Appeal has been filed within the shortened statutory period, the period has ceased to run." Notice of December 10, 1985 (1061 O.G. 34-35).

NOTE: See 37 C.F.R. §1.645 for extensions of time in interference proceedings, and 37 C.F.R. § 1.550(c) for extensions of time in reexamination proceedings.

NOTE: 37 C.F.R. § 1.704(b)"... an applicant shall be deemed to have failed to engage in reasonable efforts to conclude processing or examination of an application for the cumulative total of any periods of time in excess of three months that are taken to reply to any notice or action by the Office making any rejection, objection, argument, or other request, measuring such three-month period from the date the notice or action was mailed or given to the applicant, in which case the period of adjustment set forth in § 1.703 shall be reduced by the number of days, if any, beginning on the day after the date that is three months after the date of mailing or transmission of the Office communication notifying the applicant of the rejection, objection, argument, or other request and ending on the date the reply was filed. The period, or shortened statutory period, for reply that is set in the Office action or notice has no effect on the three-month period set forth in this paragraph."

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply for a term of up to six (6) months.

(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)

(a) x Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for the total number of months checked below:

	Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity	Fee for small entity		
	one month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00		
	two months	\$ 460.00	\$ 230.00		
	three months	\$ 1,050.00	\$ 525.00		
	four months	\$ 1,630.00	\$ 815.00		
X	five months	\$ 2,220.00	\$ 1,110.00		
		Fee \$ 1110.00			

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

# (check and complete the next item, if applicable)

	\$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of sion now requested.
	Extension fee due with this request \$
	OR
(b)	Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this is a conditional petition being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

#### FEE FOR CLAIMS

The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below: 4.

	(Col. 1)  Claims Remaining After Amendment		(Col. 2)  Highest No. Previously Paid For	(Col. 3)  Present Extra	SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY		
					Rate	Addit. Fee	OR	Rate	Addit. Fee
Total	*	Minus	**	=	x \$ 25	\$		x \$ 50=	\$
Indep.	*	Minus	***	=	x \$ 105	\$		x \$ 210	\$
□First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims					+ \$185=	\$		+ \$370=	\$
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If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "O" in Col. 3,

**WARNING:** 

"After final rejection or action (§ 1.113) amendments may be made canceling claims or complying with any requirement of form which has been made." 37 C.F.R. 1.116(a) (emphasis added).

If the "Highest No. Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, enter "20".

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The "Highest No. Previously Paid For" (Total or Indep.) is the highest number found in the appropriate box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

# **FEE PAYMENT**

5.	☐ No additional fee for claims i		required.					
			OR					
		Total additional fee for claims r	required \$					
	x	Attached is a check in the sum of \$_1,110.00						
		Charge Account No. 12-0425 the sum of \$  A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.						
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6.	⊠	If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 12-0425.						
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